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1. Update on Environmental Laboratories Rulemaking

A Notice of Proposed Rulemaking to revise the rules for Environmental Laboratory Licensing was published in the *Arizona Administrative Register* on September 15, 2006. This commenced a formal public comment period that will last until 5:00 p.m. on October 20, 2006. ADHS will accept written comments on the proposed rules during the entire public comment period. ADHS has also scheduled the following three oral proceedings to accept oral comments and provide an adequate discussion on the proposed rules:

Date	October 17, 2006	October 19, 2006	October 20, 2006
Time	Noon	Noon	Noon
Location	ADHS Training Room 1500 E. Cedar Ave., #22 Flagstaff, AZ 86004	State Laboratory Dome 250 N. 17th Ave. Phoenix, AZ 85007	State Building, Room 5 400 W. Congress Tucson, AZ 85701
Nature	Oral Proceeding	Oral Proceeding	Oral Proceeding

Information on how to provide written comments is included in the Preamble to the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking. The Notice of Proposed Rulemaking is available at http://www.azdhs.gov/diro/admin_rules/envlabs.htm.

If you have any questions or comments about this rulemaking, please contact Sarah Harpring at harpris@azdhs.gov or (602) 542-1513.

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